Mail From Children Makes Santa Claus a Very Busy Man

OLD KRISS' FRIENDS WANT. VIOLA DOLLS

MARION HOOK
P. S. My brothers also wish to be remembered.

Gets Mother to Write.

Dear Old St. Nick:

Dear Santa Claus:

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827 Massachusetts avenue northeast.

Great fatches of mail directed to with lots of goodies. I am your little 'Sandy Claws," "Kris Kringle," "Dear, friend, Good Old St. Nick," and many other terms applied to the patron saint of good little boys and girls about this time of the year were received at The Times office today. The majority of My Dear Santa Claus, the missives were from Washington lads and lassies, but not a few came from Virginia and Maryland, and two came from Salisbury, N. C., and Dayton, Ohio.

The Viola doll seems to be the especial of the viola and seems to be the especial of the viola doll seems to be the especial of the viola doll seems to be the especial of the viola doll seems to be the especial of the viola doll seems to be the especial of the viola doll seems to be the especial of the viola doll seems to be the especial of the viola doll seems to be the especial of the violation of the violat

favorite of the young ladies, and of course, every Viola doll must have a rubber tired go-cart, and there must be

Gets Mother to Write.

Dear Santa Claus:

I am a little boy not quite six and although I go to school, I am not able to write to you, so I have got my mother to write for me. Every evening my mother reads letters to me, that are sent to you from Washington boys and girls, but have never seen any sent from Alexandria, so I thought I had bottle by, so Dear Santa Claus:

I am a little boy just seven years old. My name is George R, Clark. I live at 513 L street northeast. As I cannot write very good I will get my sister to write this little letter for me. I want an express wagon, a horse, a top, and a devil in a band-box. Santa will you please bring me a story book, some pretty handkerchiefs and a big game. Joseph is the baby, please bring him a little red wagon. I guess I will close, with many kisses for you. I will be fast asleep when you come to our house Christmas eve night. Don't forget to trim the Christmas tree.

Good Bye, Santa.

From your little friend.

GEORGE CLARK.

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Goll, My name is George R, Clark. I will be satisfied with what you bring. You will find my money in my elephant bank on the mantel. Hoping you won't forget us down in Alexandria and wishing you a pleasant trip, I remain, MASTER JOSIAH TAYLOR.

Dear Santa Claus:

Please remember the dear little orphars, the poor prisoners in jail, the aged people and the colored people. I won't say anything about my little sister and brother to write to you, so I have got my mother to write to you, so I have got my mother to write Dear Santa Claus:
Please remember the dear little orphans, the poor prisoners in jail, the aged people and the colored people. I won't say anything about my little sister and brother or myself. My mamma will make it all right for us when she sees you. I am sure you will know her. From a true friend,
PAUL SIGSBY HANSON
No. 1211 C street southwest, Washington, D. C.

I wish you a Merry Xmas and a lappy New Year.

Mr. Kriss Kringle.

Mr. Kris Kringle:

I am a little boy, and I wish you would send me a pair ball bearing skates. I am seven years old.

I wish I could have a soldier suit, for nobody will give me anything.

GEORGE FINDLEY,

4 South street.

Dear Santa Claus:

Dear Santa Claus:

Will you please send me a little stove and chairs and dishes and a table and a Fig Red Doll and a little house with windows in. I am a good little girl, and am seven years old, don't forget my sisters, Gertrude and Pauline, Wish-Ink you a Merry Christmas, MISS MARY MAUD MATHER.

Dear Santa Claus:

I believe in you, and please bring me a beautiful big doil three feet high and doil house that the doil can go in it, and also bring me a stove and a desk and a jumpingjack. I have a little sister one year old, and she would like a little doil and a tiny bear and a gocart.

ROSA PERNA.

I live on River road, Tenleytown, D. C.

Hopes Santa Is Warm.

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a football and a soldier suit, a gun, and also bring me a horn and a drum, and also bring me a sword to play with it. I hope you are well in the North Pole and warm. I am a little boy.

JOE PERNA.
I live on River road, Tenleytown, I hope you will bring these things.

Dear Santa: Please remember me. I am a little black boy, six years old, and I am sick now, but I want to be well by Christmas; and will you bring me a suit of ciothes and a pair of shoes.

WINSFIELD JOHNSON.

325 K street.

Dec. 2, 1906.

Dear Santa Claus: I am a good little
girl. I am six years old. Will you
please send me a little house with windows in, and a stove, also a big, blue
doil and a little trunk, chairs, table,
and dishes. Don't forget my sisters,
Maud and Pauline. From
MIRIUM GERTRUDE MATHER,
117 Todd place northwest.

Dear Santa Claus:
I would like for you to bring me a
big brown teddy bear and a little gocart and bring me a little infant doll
baby my name is Thelma Bromwell
I am a good girl I do not go to school
I am to little.
THELMA BROMWELL,
2128 Fourteenth st., Wash.

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Dear Santa Claus: I am only a little boy six years old, and can't write. I want you please to bring me a Fort Hunt suit and an Indian suit, army tent, electric engine, story book, some games, big hook and ladder, cannon, set of soldiers, and a sword. Please don't forget my little brothers, Jack and Dick. Please bring some nuts and candy. From your little friend,

EMMETT DAVIS,

902 King street, Alexandria, Va.

Fears to Ask Too Much.

Dear Santa Claus: I am a little boy nine years old, and I hope you will come to see me Christmas, and please bring me a pair rubber boots and .22 rifle, and a cap. and I have little twin sisters that want you to bring them a doil baby. Hoping that I have not asked too much, I am your little, true asked too much. I am your little, true friend, LEROY LAMEDEN, Langdon, D. C.

Dear Saint Nick:

I hope you will come to my house. If you do come, please bring me a tipewriter, a pear of roller skates and a wagon. I will close. Yours truly, HAROLD W. MATTINGLY.

Dear Kris Kingle:

I wish you to bring me a sled, a white sweater, a pair of rink skates, a globe, and please fill my stockings

LOCAL MENTION.

Band Will Give Dance.

The Naval Gun Factory Band will give their third dance of the season at Na-tional Rifles Armory Hall. Monday next. December 9, 8:30 p. m. Music by band

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Jear Old St. Nick:

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P. S.—Also a set of dixhes. Please oblige. Simple frocks made with the long waisted, or French effect are those that are most vorm by the younger girls and this one can be utilized for a work for a beginner and advise me variety of pretty and attractive materials. As illustrated it is made of pale where I may procure the same. blue yeiling with trimming of black velvet ribbon and with soutache braid of matching color while the yoke is of tucked taffeta. It could, however, be used for eashmere or challis or any similar material while it is also adapted to to the pretty white lawns and the like, which many mothers like to use at all seasons of the year. There is a straight skirt which is gathered at its where school books are sold.

"Let us see as we have seen—
Where all paths are dewy-green,
And all human-kind are kin—
Let us be as we have seen—
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Where school books are sold.

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Where school books are sold. Dear Santa Claus;

I am a little bo, six years old. Please won't you bring me an automobile and a ball, some candy and some oranges; but I do want the automobile nore than anything else. I have a sister. She has been sick a long time, and a little brother, who is a cute little fellow. He wants a Teddy Bear. Please, dear Santa Claus, don't forget us. Your little friend, WILLIE SPICER, 327 Massachusetts avenue northeast. all seasons of the year. There is a straight skirt which is gathered at its upper edge and on which the straight rurnes are arranged and the waist por tion is arranged over a smoothly fitted lining. The last could, however, be omlited were washable material used. There is a choice allowed of short or ong sleeves. Pale blue, rose color and dull green are favorite colors of the season for little girls, but for harder use the darker brown and Copenhagen and royal blues are to be commended with trimming almost anything that may sult individual fancy, although velvet ribbon is always pretty and childish in effect and involves very little labor. For a girl of six years of age will be required 4 yards of material 27, 3% yards 32 or 31/2 yards 44 inches wide, with 9% yards of embroidery; 1% yards 27, 11/2 yards 33, or 1 yard 44 inches wide for the frills, % yard of tucking for the yoke.

Dear Santa Claus:

I am too little to write, so my sister will write for me. Please send me a tricycle, express wagon, blackboard and a little fire engine. Please, Santa Claus, do not disappoint me, whatever you do. Goodby, Santa Claus. I hope you are well. Yours truly,

LOUIS E. WOOD,

913 Eleventh street southeast. pair of boots and a rubber coat. I want a sweater, half wool and half cotton. Please bring the baby a Teddy bear. I want a Christmas tree. I will furnish the tree and the things to go on it. Please fill my stocking full of nuts and candy. I still remain your loving little friend.

ALBERT MILLER. I am eight years old. College Park, Md., Dec. 3d, 1907.

Dear Santa Claus:

I am a little girl. I have been sick a long time, have been in the house for nearly six weeks, but the doctor say I will be alright by Christmas. I want a doll and a carriage. I would like one of those English ones, but please cring me a carriage of some kind, please don't forget our baby, he is such a darling, he wants a Teddy, Bear, and I have one more brother, but he is writing to you to, pleas, St. Claus. don't forget us. I can't write any more now. Your little friend,

227 Massachusetts avenue northeast. Please bring me a big stoll, a pair of roller skates, a go-cart, a box of candy. Now, dear Santa Claus, please don't forget me. I am only a little girl eight years old. I will thank you very much if you will bring me these things. From your little fr LILLIAN TYLER,

621 Morton street, northwest, I would like you to bring me a nice doll and carriage and some candy and nuts in your raindeer wagon, and a pair of gloves to match my red coat. Be sure and come. Lovingly yours,

MABEL CECELIA HORTON,

Goodbar Tanada Put it in shape for a season's run musical numbers were added, and Miss Loftus gave her imitations.

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Notes of Stage Folks

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Christie MacDonald and Al Leech are two of the important roles in "Miss Hook of Holland," a new musical comedy which is soon to be produced by Charles Frohman.

"The Lancers" is about to be with-The play was seen in Washngton earlier in the season with Lawrance D'Orsay and Cecilia Loftus. It was not a success, and in an effort to put it in shape for a season's run mu-

introducing a burlesque on "The Merry Widow" waitz in their vaudeville sketch "A Musical Mixup."

INDUIRY GOLUMN. 77777777777777

RUSH QUERIES

Will Be Answered By Telephone. Call Main 5260 and Ask for The Times Bureau of Informa-

Editor Woman's Inquiry Column: Are there any premiums on a half dollar of 1863, and the 1-cent piece of B. M. C.

There is no premium on the 1863 half dollar; on the 1857 1-cent piece the prem-ium is from 10 cents to 50 cents.

Miss Edith Bradford,

Editor Woman's Inquiry Column: Where is Miss Edith Bradford playing this season, and will she come to Washington? H. M. B.

Miss Bradford may be with the Aborn Opera Company. It is not booked for Washington this season. You might address her care the Dramatic News, 141 Broadway, New York city.

Hopkins Theatrical Company.

Editor Woman's Inquiry Column: Is there a Hopkins Theatrical Company, and where is it playing?

There is a Hopkins Trans-Atlantic Theatrical Company, but its bookings this season are not yet published.

Miss Lulu Glaser.

Editor Woman's Inquiry Column: How old is Miss Lulu Glaser?

Miss Lulu Glaser was born in Alle-gheny, Pa., in 1874.

READER.

Study of Latin.

Editor Woman's Inquiry Column: I wish to study Latin and would thank you to give me the name of a goo

The Way This Season's Tailor Girl Looks

Her skirt is short-a good five inches from the ground.

It is the new walking skirt, a flare skirt, band-trimmed with the same ma

terial. The pattern is made, usually, with

seven, nine or eleven gores. Two narrow bands and one wide one are frequently used for the trimming. figure.

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with the new short skirts.

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The materials are serge, worsted, cheviots or mannish suitings of any kind.

A great deal of souta he braid is

Sour Milk Gingerbread

Rub a cupful of butter to a cream with two of sugar; add the beaten yolks of three eggs and a cupful of loppered milk, or of buttermilk, two teaspoonfuls of ginger and a teaspoonful of

Have ready a quart of sifted flour line which you have sifted twice a teaspoonful of baking soda.

Add this to the batter alternately with the stiffened whites of three eggs. Mix well, beating the batter upward with long strokes and bake in two cards,, or in small tins.

Wash over with white of egg while the cakes are hot.

You may, if you like, leave out the ginger and substitute mace for the cinnamon. Have ready a quart of sifted flour

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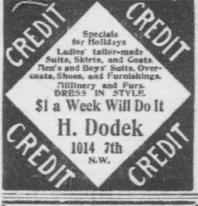
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